

# THE DAILY CHRONICLE.

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TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 20, 1873.

THE LARGEST CIRCULATION  
Of Any Daily Published in East Tennessee.

## OUR DISPATCHES.

We begin with this issue of the CHRONICLE publishing every day five hundred additional words of telegraphic dispatches. These dispatches are furnished by the Associated Press Agent at Washington, and the increased amount forwarded, beginning this morning, imposes an additional expense to us. We expect to furnish our readers with this additional matter fuller news by telegraph than we have ever been enabled to do since our midnight special dispatches, sent to the CHRONICLE exclusively during the Franco-Prussian war. We trust our readers will find the new arrangement satisfactory. We shall spare no reasonable expense to give them the latest news at our command.

The contrast between Tennessee and Kentucky Democracy affords a striking evidence of the chameleon-like qualities of that corrupt and now defunct old organization. Not long ago Governor Brown dined and wined the Tennessee Legislature, in the Lower House of which there is a worthy colored man—Hon. Simpson W. Keeble, of Davidson county. Mr. Keeble was not only invited but occupied the post of honor at the table, and responded to the first toast. Some of the Governor's friends were disposed to "kick in harness," but they were quieted by having their attention called to the close contest in our last State canvass. The Governor had an eye to business.

In Kentucky there has been no such contest. There Bourbonism prevails and thrives. It is respectable. The position of Bourbon Democracy is considered impregnable. Hence we are not surprised to hear a man announcing himself a candidate for the Legislature, and placing his claims for the position on the ground that his competitor, who has been in the Legislature before, had voted for the bill allowing colored persons to testify in courts. On this issue he expects to be elected and the chances are he will succeed.

WHITTHORNE told his constituents in a late speech at Columbia, that at first he was at a loss to know whether or not to take his extra pay as Congressman. He finally concluded to take it. As he knew his constituents would have to pay for it he concluded to give it to the Vanderbilt University. Thereupon the Jackson *Whig* and *Tribune* replied "Too thin," and asks the gentleman whether his constituents would have been taxed to pay for his back salary if he had left it in the Treasury? That, we call a blow square between the eyes.

## FACTS ABOUT EAST TENNESSEE.

### Table Showing Advantages of Our Climate.

NO. CIVIL.

We have had so many letters expressing satisfaction with an article published some months ago concerning the advantage of our climate, and as the demand for that issue has exhausted our surplus copies, we republish the table, adding figures for three additional months of 1873. The article referred to was as follows:

We have received a largely increased list of letters during the past month and most of them come from persons disheartened at the dreadfully severe weather of this winter throughout the North. The burden of complaint in nine cases out of every ten letters we now receive is at the unendurable cold weather. We want a warmer climate where the winters are not so long, say most of our correspondents. To answer most of these letters in one article, we have prepared the following table, which shows from the official observations of the Signal Service Bureau at Knoxville, the average temperature of every month of the year 1872, and for one month of 1873. We give also the highest mean daily thermometer in the summer months and the extreme mean for a day of cold in the winter. The table is one of value and should be studied by our friends North:

AVERAGE MONTHLY TEMPERATURE 1872.	
	Degrees
January, " lowest daily mean,	31
February, " lowest daily mean,	39
March, " lowest daily mean,	43
April, " mean,	59
June, " highest daily mean,	79
July, " highest daily mean,	83
August, " highest daily mean,	81
Sept. " mean,	67
October, " mean,	55
Nov. " mean,	40
December, " lowest daily mean,	16
Jan. (1873) " daily mean,	34
February " lowest daily mean,	20
" highest daily mean,	54
March, " lowest daily mean,	13
" highest daily mean,	61
April, " lowest daily mean,	43
" highest daily mean,	75
" average monthly mean,	58

The lowest average for a day in winter, will be seen from the above, was eleven degrees above zero—that was in January, of 1872. Though we have had more protracted cold weather this winter than last, we have not had it quite as cold. The lowest mercury sank last winter was one half degree above zero. This winter the coldest was about three degrees above zero. We make our calculations from the reports of Prof. Payne, of the United States Signal Bureau, whose thermometers are reliable. The ordinary thermometers vary, and are not worth anything for accurate observations.

Our readers North, who have had it as cold as twenty and thirty degrees below zero will appreciate the value of the figures we give above. They will see from our table that while we do not have it so cold in winter, we do not have it as warm in summer as in most of the Northern States.

The highest average for a day last summer was eighty-three degrees above zero in July. When it is remembered that our nights are always cool it will serve to explain why our long summers are not more enervating.

Mr. Charles Ziegler, of Du Quoin, Perry county, Illinois, writes that he is raising peaches for the Northern market, but that all the trees have been frozen, as have the smaller fruits—raspberries, &c.—and wants to know about raising peaches here.

We think this a superior peach climate. The trees never freeze here and the buds rarely freeze so generally as to cut off the general yield. Peaches grow naturally here, and when our railroad to Cincinnati opens, which we believe will be in a year, we shall be just in the right position to supply the Western markets with early fruit. Mr. Ziegler says, on Wednesday, January 22, the thermometer at this place stood at 17 to 20 degrees below zero. On the same day the mercury at Knoxville was at 7 A. M., 15 degrees, and at 4 P. M., 24 deg. above zero.

The location of the Methodist Central University at Knoxville will add greatly to our educational advantages. The proposed University is to have a heavy endowment, and will be one leading institution of the South. This, together with the State Agricultural College connected with our East Tennessee University, now having an endowment of near half a million of dollars, give Knoxville educational facilities, in a collegiate line, unequalled by any point in all the South.

In addition to these colleges, we have good female schools, and an excellent common school system about to be inaugurated.

While writing this article, we were called upon by a subscriber from Michigan, who is in East Tennessee looking out for a home. He says on the train from Louisville, Kentucky, he found 170 farmers from the North coming here to look for homes in a milder climate. The past winter has been hard on Northern farmers. It has induced thousands of them to look South for farms where their summer's earnings will not be eaten up in a freezing winter of four and six months. We invite the attention of all such to East Tennessee. Here they will find lands of every quality, some very cheap, some for sale only at good prices, some, again, at very reasonable rates. They will find it all land capable of being made productive and profitable. Being a section soon to become an extensive manufacturing region, they will find it profitable to buy lands now.

A correspondent noticing a recent local item in the CHRONICLE about spotted fever, seems to think it a disease common here. Such is not the case. It is rare.

In regard to the comparative mortality of spotted and typhoid fevers, we will state that one of our physicians informs us that the disease referred to as spotted fever, a few cases of which occurred here during the winter, was a low, malignant form of fever but seldom met with in any section, and not dependent upon any general cause. In regard to its fatality, it is more so than typhoid, but happily more rarely met with. There have been no cases of the kind since that time, and typhoid fevers do not prevail here at all, or at least it is very seldom that a case is seen. Diseases here are said to be very simple in their nature, and easily managed if taken in hand at an early day.

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## Proposals.

### Proposals for Military Supplies.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH,  
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,  
LOUISVILLE, KY., May 12, 1873.  
SEALD PROPOSALS (in triplicate), under the usual conditions, will be received at this office, and also at the offices of the United States Quartermasters at the several points named below, until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, the 18th day of June, 1873, for furnishing military supplies during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1873, and ending June 30, 1874, as follows:

AT ATLANTA, GA.  
600 cords wood, 15,000 pounds corn, 55,000 pounds oats, 125,000 pounds hay, 60,000 pounds straw.

AT AUGUSTA, GA.  
75 cords wood, 2,000 pounds corn, 7,000 lbs oats, 11,000 lbs hay, 5,000 lbs straw.

AT CHARLESTON, S. C.  
500 cords wood, 80,000 lbs anthracite coal, 50,000 lbs oats, 60,000 lbs hay, 100,000 lbs straw. (Proposals will state the prices delivered at the yard or depot; also the prices for wood and coal delivered at the wharf or depot within city limits, and for forage and straw, delivered either at the wharf or railroad depot, free of expense to the United States.)

AT CHATTANOOGA, TENN.  
200 cords wood; 50,000 lbs coal; 10,000 lbs corn; 100,000 lbs oats; 120,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw.

AT COLUMBIA, S. C.  
800 cords wood; 80,000 lbs oats; 110,000 lbs hay; 50,000 lbs straw.

AT CHARLOTTE, N. C.  
200 cords wood; 25,000 lbs oats; 35,000 lbs hay; 25,000 lbs straw.

AT FRANKFORT, KY.  
200 cords wood; 200,000 lbs bituminous coal; 10,000 lbs corn; 15,000 lbs oats; 35,000 lbs hay; 15,000 lbs straw.

AT FORT PULASKI, GA.  
750 cords wood; 30,000 lbs oats; 40,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw.

AT FORT JOHNSTON, N. C.  
100 cords wood; 15,000 lbs oats; 20,000 lbs hay; 12,000 lbs straw.

AT FORT MACON, N. C.  
200 cords wood; 6,000 lbs oats; 2,500 lbs corn; 12,000 lbs hay; 15,000 lbs straw.

AT HUMBOLDT, TENN.  
200 cords wood; 12,000 lbs corn; 12,000 lbs oats; 30,000 lbs hay; 14,000 lbs straw.

AT LOUISVILLE, KY.  
1,000,000 lbs bituminous coal; 10,000 lbs corn; 120,000 lbs oats; 160,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw. The coal to be delivered at residences of officers in this city, in quantities as required from time to time.

AT LEBANON, KY.  
150 cords wood; 150,000 lbs bituminous coal; 20,000 lbs corn; 40,000 lbs oats; 30,000 lbs hay; 25,000 lbs straw.

AT LANCASTER, KY.  
100 cords wood; 150,000 lbs bituminous coal; 20,000 lbs corn; 8,000 lbs oats; 40,000 lbs hay; 17,000 lbs straw.

AT HUNTSVILLE, ALA.  
200 cords wood; 30,000 lbs corn; 38,000 lbs oats; 85,000 lbs hay; 25,000 lbs straw.

AT MOBILE, ALA.  
200 cords wood; 50,000 lbs corn; 75,000 lbs oats; 120,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw.

AT MT. VERNON ARSENAL, ALA.  
75 cords wood; 25,000 lbs oats; 25,000 lbs hay; 3,000 lbs straw.

AT NASHVILLE, TENN.  
200 cords wood; 15,000 lbs corn; 15,000 lbs oats; 85,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw.

AT NEWBERRY, S. C.  
100 cords wood; 35,000 lbs oats; 45,000 lbs hay; 15,000 lbs straw.

AT RALEIGH, N. C.  
350 cords wood; 75,000 lbs corn; 120,000 lbs hay; 40,000 lbs straw.

AT SAVANNAH, GA.  
150 cords wood; 200,000 lbs anthracite coal; 8,000 lbs corn; 10,000 lbs oats; 8,000 lbs hay.

AT ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA.  
350 cords wood; 25,000 lbs oats; 35,000 lbs hay; 31,000 lbs straw.

AT SPARTANBURG, S. C.  
200 cords wood; 20,000 lbs oats; 20,000 lbs hay; 10,000 lbs straw.

AT SUMTER, S. C.  
200 cords wood; 7,000 lbs straw.

AT YORKVILLE, S. C.  
200 cords wood; 20,000 lbs oats; 30,000 lbs hay; 15,000 lbs straw.

The above are the estimated quantities that will be required according to the present distribution of troops, but the Government reserves the right to increase or diminish the same at any time during the continuance of the contract.

Bids for any portion of the supplies will be entertained. Bids for Fuel and Forage should be made separately. Bidders will please state explicitly the kind of articles they propose to furnish, the rate for Grain in bulk and sacked; Hay and Straw loose or baled, &c. Contracts will be awarded, after the bids from all the posts have been received at this office, to the lowest responsible bidder for each post and each kind of supply.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Firms bidding for supplies will please state the full name of each member.

Payment for supplies will be made monthly, if in funds, or as soon thereafter as funds for the purpose are received.

Blank proposals and any additional information can be had in person or by letter, on application to the Quartermasters at the various posts, or at this office.

Deputy Quartermaster General J. S. A. Chief Quartermaster Department of the South. y1746t

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## Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS ARE REQUESTED AND  
will be received until noon of  
**THURSDAY, 22d MAY.**  
at the office of the Secretary of Building Committee,  
in Athens, Tenn., for the building of a  
**Court-House in Athens,**  
for the county of McMinn, in accordance with plans  
and specifications on file in said office and at the office  
of A. C. Bruce, Architect, Knoxville, Tenn.  
The Building Committee reserve the right to reject  
any and all bids, and no bids will be considered, un-  
less accompanied by the names of two responsible  
sureties.  
Plans at office of architect in Knoxville until 12th  
May, and after at Athens at the office of the Secretary,  
until opening of bids.  
Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Build-  
ing Court House," and addressed to  
"Sec'y Building Committee,"  
Athens, Tenn., May 1, 1873 (at 12 o'clock).

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**Chancery Sale of L.**  
IN OBEEDIENCE TO A DECREE OF THE CHAN-  
CERY Court at Raleigh, in the case of W. D.  
Gammon, administrator, &c. vs. John F. Garrett and  
others, pronounced at the April term, 1873, of said  
Court, I will sell on the premises, at public sale, to the  
highest bidder,  
On Thursday, the 20th day of June, 1873,  
a tract of land on which L. A. Garrett died, and of  
which he was seized and possessed, situate in the  
Seam's Station District, being the 2d civil district of  
Greene county, adjoining the lands of Joseph Wil-  
liams and others, containing between eight and nine  
hundred acres, more or less, and about two miles from  
the celebrated Late Springs. This is a very valuable  
farm, and has on it a fine brick dwelling and other im-  
provements, is a healthy location and is situated in the  
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TERMS—One-half of the purchase money to be paid  
in one year and the other half in two years, both bear-  
ing interest from the day of sale. Note with good  
personal security will be required for the purchase  
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